



## MOVED

WE ARE NOW LOCATED AT No. 218 MARKET STREET.

Our quarters at the First-Standard Bank were large enough when we went there. Now they are entirely too small. We now occupy the three floors of the O'Donnell Building. We are still growing.

**J. A. SIMPSON**

Optometrist and Manufacturing Optician.

## NEW LOT

FRESH RUBBER FOUNTAIN SPRINGS, HOT WATER TILES, ATOMIZERS, TUBING, ETC. SEE OUR NEW METAL WATER BOTTLE.

**M. F. Williams Drug Comp.**  
THIRD STREET DRUG STORE  
THERMOS BOTTLES AND LUNCH SETS.

William Tolle—East End.  
On account of the fact that Officer Bloomhuff is suffering with a sprained arm, former policeman, Patrick Ryan, was appointed special policeman until Mr. Bloomhuff recovers.

### WEEK OF PRAYER

The first of the Week of Prayer services was held last night at the Second M. E. Church, South, the sermon of the evening being preached by Rev. S. K. Hunt, pastor of the Third Street M. E. Church. This evening's service will be held at the Christian Church with a sermon by Rev. Will B. Campbell, pastor of the First M. E. Church, South.

### COUNTY COURT

On motion of J. J. Owens, County Clerk, and with the approval of the court, A. F. Wood and Miss Rose Murphy, were appointed deputy clerks and qualified as such by taking their oaths of office.

Ben P. Fleming qualified as constable in Second Magisterial District with George C. Fleming as surety on bond.

### STANLEY FORCES ORGANIZE THE HOUSE

Frankfort, Ky., January 7.—The Democratic caucus of the House of Representatives of the Kentucky General Assembly today nominated Robert T. Crowe, administration candidate for the speakership by a vote of 33 to 27 over M. E. Gilbert, of Paducah.

Dr. Roy Glehls, Chiropractor, will move in rooms now occupied by Dr. W. C. Crowell, over the Power Store February 1. 3twk-3wk

### Former Chief of Police Mackey Is Elected Sergeant—Bonds of New Officers Are Accepted.

City Council met in regular monthly session at the Council Chamber last evening, Mayor Thomas M. Russell presiding, and all members being present.

Following was the report of the Claims and Accounts Committee:  
Alms and Almshouse ..... \$219.31  
Public Library ..... 25.00  
Mission Home ..... 150.00  
Mason County Health League ..... 25.00  
Colored Mission ..... 12.50  
Gas and Electricity ..... 780.39  
Boarding and Guarding Prisoners ..... 29.40  
Miscellaneous ..... 178.02  
Salaries ..... 369.71  
Police Department ..... 586.81  
Fire Department ..... 542.09  
Internal Improvements ..... 400.36  
Greenwood Library Fund ..... 34.55

Total ..... \$5,118.03  
Ex-Mayor Lee reported that he had collected \$482.11 for licenses during the past month.

Following was the report of Police Judge John L. Whitaker:  
Fines assessed ..... \$31.00  
Judge's costs assessed ..... 28.10  
Chief's costs assessed ..... 9.00  
Jail fees assessed ..... 11.20

Total ..... \$77.30  
Fire Chief Ruliff M. Newell reported that the Fire Department had answered three alarms of fire during the past month.

Ex-Treasurer Harry C. Curran reported a balance in the general fund of \$4,980.23.

Miss Hughes, superintendent of the

January, February and March be increased to \$150 a month. Some old bills contracted by Mrs. Cora Peddicord, former head of the Home, were presented by Miss Hughes and on motion same were ordered paid.

On motion it was ordered that a special committee with the new City Treasurer added go over the records of former Treasurer H. C. Curran and see that the finances of the city be turned over in the proper manner. Mayor Russell appointed Messrs. J. A. Dodson, W. C. Watkins, C. B. Davis, T. Lalley and S. Arn members of the committee.

On motion, it was ordered that the bids on sanitary privies be held up until the next regular meeting and that those who had made bids under old prices of material be allowed to withdraw same.

Mayor Russell stated that Councilman-elect Everett of the Third Ward had failed to qualify and asked for nominations.

Mr. Ross Owens was nominated to fill the vacancy and received the unanimous vote of the Council.

City Engineer W. L. Glazier in a letter to ex-Mayor Lee stated that he was now in training camp and asked a three months' leave of absence. Same was granted.

The bonds of City Attorney Charles L. Daly, Almshouse Matron Mrs. James Crain, City Clerk Robert Adair, Police Judge John L. Whitaker, City Treasurer A. M. January, City Assessor Walker Harney, Mayor Thomas M. Russell, Officers Bloomhuff, Drennan, Tolle and Stewart were presented to the Council duly signed and same were approved.

On motion James Mackey was nominated as Police Sergeant and received the unanimous vote of the Council. Sergeant-elect Mackey and Councilman-elect Owens were sworn in by Squire Fred W. Bauer. Sergeant Mackey presented his bond duly signed and same was accepted.

On motion it was ordered that Prison Guard James Greenlee be ordered to report to Street Commissioner B. P. Smith every morning whether with or without prisoners.

On motion it was ordered that a vote of thanks be extended to the donors of flowers, which adorned the Council Chamber.

On motion it was ordered that an erroneous tax assessment of \$47.56 assessed against the Third Street M. E. Church be refunded.

Chairman Orr of the Alms Committee stated that the salary of \$11 per month which had been paid to the almshouse matron for several years be increased to \$15 per month. He also stated that as the cost of coal had become so high that he recommended that a system of gas heating be installed. He also asked that the Alms Committee be allowed to make certain rules to govern the conduct of the inmates and matron of the almshouse. On motion it was ordered that the matter of ascertaining the cost of a proper heating system for the almshouse be obtained by the Alms Committee and that said committee also be allowed to make rules governing the conduct of the inmates and matron of the almshouse.

On motion it was ordered that the old equipment in the office of the Mayor be replaced by the Mayor.

On motion it was ordered that the Chief of Police be allowed to purchase books to install a new system to be used in his department.

On motion it was ordered that a book typewriter for the City Clerk and a typewriter for the Mayor's office be purchased immediately.

On motion it was ordered that the matter of raising the pay of the almshouse matron be referred to the City Attorney.

On motion it was ordered that the case of Mary Ellis and child, who reside on Lee street, be referred to the Juvenile Court.

Mayor Russell announced his committees for the ensuing year, as follows:

Ways and Means Committee—J. A. Dodson, W. F. Thomas, W. C. Watkins, Ross C. Owens, C. B. Davis, S. Arn, E. T. Kirk, J. N. Kehoe, J. F. Barbour and C. L. Wood.

Laws and Ordinance Committee—W. F. Thomas, W. R. Smith, J. A. Dodson, T. Lalley, J. B. Orr and F. Hunsicker. Internal Improvements Committee—W. C. Watkins, S. Arn, W. F. Thomas, J. A. Dodson, Ross C. Owens, C. B. Davis and S. Arn.

Alms Committee—J. B. Orr, O. Greenlee and W. R. Smith.

Claims and Accounts Committee—J. A. Dodson, O. Greenlee, Ross C. Owens, T. Lalley, J. B. Orr and F. Hunsicker.

Sidewalks and Gutters Committee—C. B. Davis, W. F. Thomas, W. R. Smith, G. A. Dodson, T. Lalley and C. Watkins.

Gas and Electricity Committee—G. A. Dodson, O. Greenlee, W. R. Smith, T. Lalley, J. B. Orr and F. Hunsicker. License Committee—T. Lalley, W. F. Thomas, J. A. Dodson, Ross C. Owens, C. B. Davis and S. Arn.

Police Committee—C. B. Davis, O. Greenlee, J. A. Dodson, Ross C. Owens, W. C. Watkins and F. Hunsicker.

Wharves and Ferries Committee—F. Hunsicker, W. F. Thomas, W. R. Smith, G. A. Dodson, T. Lalley and J. B. Orr.

Water Committee—W. R. Smith, O. Greenlee, Ross C. Owens, W. C. Watkins, C. B. Davis and S. Arn.

Fire Department Committee—O. Greenlee, J. A. Dodson, Ross C. Owens, W. C. Watkins, C. B. Davis and F. Hunsicker.

Turnpikes and Railroads Committee—S. Arn, W. F. Thomas, W. R. Smith, G. A. Dodson, T. Lalley and J. B. Orr.

Greenwood Library Committee—W. F. Thomas, A. M. J. Cochran and J. B. Russell.

Propositions and Grievance Committee—W. R. Smith, Ross C. Owens, O. Greenlee, G. A. Dodson, W. C. Watkins, C. B. Davis and F. Hunsicker.

Public Building Committee—Ross C. Owens, W. F. Thomas, W. R. Smith, T. Lalley, J. B. Orr and S. Arn.

On motion, Council adjourned.

### NEW MEMBERS

Of City Board of Education Held Meeting Last Night—Dr. J. H. Samuel Elected President—State National Bank Make Depository.

The final session of the old Board of Education was held last evening with all members present except Miles and Houston Hall. After receiving the reports of the treasurer and the claims and accounts committee, there being no further business President Browning declared the old Board adjourned since die.

Pursuant to custom Secretary Geisel of the old Board called the new Board to order. All members were present. The Board then proceeded to organize by electing the following officers:

President—Dr. J. H. Samuel.  
Vice President—Thomas L. Ewan.  
Secretary—Ben H. Greenlee.

The matter of electing a depository for the funds was taken up before the election of a treasurer. Upon examining the propositions from the different banks it was found that the State National's was the best they bidding 3.57 per cent for the deposits of the Board. This bank was there upon made the depository of the Board and Mr. H. C. Sharp was elected treasurer.

Superintendent Caplinger then addressed the Board on behalf of the schools. He outlined some of the plans that he believed were for the progress of the schools, specially emphasizing the need of installing manual training. The matter was taken up and discussed by the board and each member expressed himself as believing it the proper thing to do and that it should be done as quickly as possible. Upon motion President Samuel was empowered to appoint a committee of three to visit the Cincinnati schools to investigate the work there and to see to buying equipment. The Board then adjourned to meet again this evening to appoint standing committees. After adjournment President Samuel selected members Browning, Matthews and Crowell as

### MARRIAGES

#### McKay-Sospy

County Judge Harry P. Purnell performed his first marriage ceremony yesterday when he united in marriage Miss Norah McKay, aged 23, of Morefield, and Mr. Jesse Sospy, of Carlisle.

#### Dickson-Cogan

Miss Minnie Dickson, aged 27, and Mr. Bruce G. Cogan, aged 23, both of Concord, were married here yesterday by Rev. A. F. Stahl yesterday.

#### FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

In the Mason Circuit Court yesterday Mrs. Lottie Forman filed suit for divorce from her husband, John Forman. They were married in this city on February 28, 1917. In her petition she states that her two children by a former marriage have been mistreated by the defendant and on this account she was forced to leave him and since doing so has received no support from him. She asks for absolute divorce, for support of herself and children pending the action, for alimony and a general order of attachment against all the property of the defendant.

#### CIRCUIT COURT

The Mason Circuit Court reconvened yesterday after a several days lay-off.

Charles E. Galbreath, sheriff, and Carey M. Devore, deputy sheriff, appeared in court and took the oath required by law.

The case of Millard Hall against George Hughes occupied the attention of the court all day and will be taken up again this morning.

Butter fat 55 cents a pound at the Maysville Model Creamery this week.

a special manual training committee. They will visit the Cincinnati schools the coming Friday and be prepared to make a definite report at the next regular meeting of the Board.

### BILLIE WEST AT PASTIME

Charlie Chaplin's double, Billie West, will be seen at the Pastime today in "The Candy Kid," a two-reel comedy. Also Helen Gibson in a sensational railroad picture, "The Dynamite Special." Also another good comedy will be shown.

### DIES AT INFIRMARY

John Will Dickson, an inmate of the county infirmary, died last night about midnight of tuberculosis. He will be buried in the infirmary burying ground tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

### NOTED SADDLE STARS SOLD BY LANGHORNE TABB ANDERSON

The sales of noted saddle stars have just been made by Langhorne Tabb Anderson, of Point au View Stock Farm.

John J. Gardner, of Toledo, purchased Miss Optimist, a three-gaited saddle and show mare. Mr. Anderson also sold to Dr. George M. Todd, of Toledo, the five-gaited saddle horse White Stockings.

While the prices were not disclosed it is understood each sold for sums four figures.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

On and after January 1, 1918, sales of ice to be cash.  
W. P. NEWDIGATE.

## CHRISTMAS CHEER

—And—

## Best Wishes to All.

We Will Be Ready to Assist and Serve You Every Day of

1918

Don't Fail to Use Us Whenever and As Often As You Can.

**First-Standard Bank and Trust Company**

## THE HOME OF QUALITY CLOTHES

## OVERCOATS ARE NEEDED

THE MAN WHO DOUBTS IT SHOULD TAKE A PEEP AT THE THERMOMETER TODAY, AND THEN COME HERE AND SELECT ONE FROM OUR IMMENSE STOCK. AND WHEN YOU SEE THE SNAPPY MODELS—THE LUXURIOUS WOOL CLOTHS AT SUCH REASONABLE PRICES YOU'RE SURE TO CONCLUDE THAT OLD "HI COST" HAS MET HIS WATERLOO.

WE ASK YOU TO EXAMINE OUR COATS FROM EVERY ANGLE OF TAILORING, FABRIC AND LINING VALUES, UTMOST STYLE. HUNDRED POINT EVERYWHERE.

IF YOU NEED A COAT, YOU WON'T PASS HERE.

**D. Hechinger & Co.**

## And Still They Go Down!

DESPITE THE UNFRIENDLY ELEMENTS THE HAPPY THROG STILL CROWDS OUR PLACE FOR "PLUMS."

THEY KNOW—THE PEOPLE DO—THAT OUR STROKES ARE MERCILESS AND OUR CUTS ARE DEEP.

WHEN WE SAY "OUR GOODS ARE CHEAP", WE DON'T MEAN "CHEAP GOODS."

THERE'S AS MUCH DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE FORMER AND LATTER AS THERE IS BETWEEN "AN ARDENT LOVER" AND A "LOVER OF THE ARDENT."

IF YOU DID NOT COME SATURDAY, YOU HAD BETTER COME TODAY OR TOMORROW OR THE NEXT DAY BECAUSE THE

Big Sale Continues All This Week

**MEYERZ BROS.**

## AT LAST

We Have Received Our

## FIRST LIBERTY LOAN BONDS

Persons holding our temporary receipts for same will please present them and get their Bonds.

## State National Bank

FIRE, TORNADO, HAIL

## INSURANCE

JNO. T. FLEMING & CO., GENERAL INSURANCE

PHONE 67.

FIRST-STANDARD BANK BUILDING.

## We Have Finished Invoicing

Now and find we have a splendid stock of nice, new, salable goods that we bought RIGHT at "before-the-war" prices and we are anxious to have your trade. You will find us right here on the job, ready and willing to wait on you, and we give you a most cordial invitation to come often during the coming year. Make the Square Deal Store your headquarters.

Yours for a prosperous 1918,

**Mike Brown**

The Square Deal Man  
of Square Deal Square



# PUBLIC LEDGER

Fourth of July, Thanksgiving and Christmas  
Publishing Company, Maysville, Kentucky.

CLARENCE MATHEWS  
Telephone No. 40. Office—Public Ledger Building  
Maysville, Kentucky Postoffice as Second-class Mail Matter

## MONOLIZING FEMININE LABOR

Women of this country must awaken," says Frank J. MatheWS. "If the idle rich women continue to employ several waiting maids, they will in all probability be scrubbing floors or working in munition factories within the next few years."

It is not quite so horrible as that. But the evil to which Mr. MatheWS calls attention is grave enough. Everybody knows that the labor supply is not sufficient to meet our war needs and carry on our usual economic activities. The supply is bound to diminish as long as the war lasts, because of the transformation of masculine labor into fighting stuff and because of the ever-growing demands of our war industries.

The thinning ranks of masculine labor are being filled with feminine recruits. Before we get through with this business every woman capable of performing useful service with brain or hand going to be needed, as well as every man. Anybody, therefore, who maintains women workers in unnecessary and unproductive forms of work is guilty of unpatriotic conduct.

It is just as selfish to appropriate for one's own use more labor than one needs as it is to waste wheat or sugar in time of scarcity. The moral is obvious. Girls and women should not be retained in domestic service if they can be dispensed with. Every woman who employs servants should seriously ask herself whether their service is a necessity or a luxury, and act accordingly.

## SOLDIERS' CLOTHES AND SHOES

One of the reasons given for the slowness of the war department in outfitting the men at the cantonments is that the National Army has a larger physical average than previous armies have had. It is therefore necessary to provide larger sizes of clothing than usual. The commissary department was unprepared for that, because it expected that the drafted men would be smaller, if anything, than the regular Army volunteers.

Moreover, the Selective Service recruits have shown a scandalous tendency to grow after they have been measured for their outfits. Dispatch from one of the cantonments recently announced that the soldiers had gained an average of 15 pounds apiece. That was fine, as a tribute to the salutary effects of army food, exercise and discipline—but it made their suits and overcoats too tight.

Similar reports are received regarding the shoe problem. Formerly the largest stock shoe for the army was No. 12. Now the quartermaster has had to add Nos. 13 and 14 to his stock. Bigger men have bigger feet. And it is found that marching makes a man's feet grow and spread so that he soon needs a size or two larger than before.

This situation, however, is no cause for lamentation. Big bodies and big feet are regarded as fine military assets, when they mean strength and health as they do in this case. And nobody will begrudge Sammy the extra cloth and shoe leather.

Nobody would imagine there was any lack of coal, to look at the carloads cluttering up all the railroads. Neither would anybody imagine there was any scarcity of ears, to see all the sidings jammed with empties.



## Beautiful Bust and Shoulders

are possible if you will wear a scientifically constructed Bien Jolie Brassiere.

The dragging weight of an unconfined bust so stretches the supporting muscles that the contour of the figure is spoiled. It puts the bust back where it belongs, prevents the full bust from having the appearance of flatness, eliminates the danger of dragging muscles and confines the flesh of the shoulder giving a graceful line to the entire upper body.

They are the simplest and most serviceable garments imaginable—come in all materials and styles; Cross Back, Hook Front, Surplice, Bandeau, etc. Bonded with "Vaseline," the rustless boning—permitting washing without removal.

Have your dealer show you Bien Jolie Brassieres, if not stocked, we will gladly send him, prepaid, samples to show you. BENJAMIN & JOHNS, 21 Warren Street, Newark, N. J.

## COULD CONNECT CHICAGO WITH NEW YORK

The Type Used in One Year to Publish Endorsements of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Of the many kidney remedies on the market today, none other is recommended like Doan's Kidney Pills. Forty thousand benefited people gladly testify in the newspapers of their own towns. Forty-five hundred American newspapers publish this home proof of Doan's merit. The type used in one year to tell this wonderful story would make a solid column of metal twice as high as the world's highest mountain. Placed end to end the lines of type would reach from New York to Chicago. These miles of good words told by 40,000 tongues sound glad tidings to any Maysville sufferer who wants relief from kidney and bladder ills. Here's the Maysville case. Don't experiment. Use the remedy endorsed by people you know.

John J. Bramel, bookkeeper, Walnut street, Maysville, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been of great benefit to me and in fact, I attribute fourteen years of my life to them. It was in 1902 that I was suffering a great deal. After long use of Doan's Kidney Pills, I became well and had no bad effects for many years. Recently, however, I noticed my kidneys were not acting right and my system was generally weak. I knew it was a return of the trouble and I didn't lose any time in getting a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Channell's Drug Store. They again gave me the same good results and I consider them a wonderful medicine."

Mr. Bramel is only one of many Maysville people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mr. Bramel had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 60c all stores. F. E. Miller-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

## A NOVEL TRADE DOCTRINE

Washington, January 6.—The Republican Publicity Association, through its President, Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., today gave out the following statement at its Washington Headquarters:

"An article emanating from one of the Democratic tax-supported publicity bureaus in Washington says: 'From the individual standpoint of the United States it is evident that the chance now presented for the development of close trade with both Canada and Mexico and the building up of a trade basis very hard to break down in after years is exceptional and unusual. Failure to take advantage of it now may result in growth of localized home industries which will later want protection from foreign competition.'"

"This is part and parcel of that very peculiar and novel Democratic declaration that to assure a continuance of our prosperity after the war we must bet our whole pile on export trade; that protection to home industries and preeminence in the American market for domestic goods is an obsolete notion; that we should keep open to our European and Oriental competitors the door to our home market where \$25,000,000,000 worth of goods are annually consumed, while we go out and gobble up all the foreign trade on earth which, even with competition throttled by a world war netted us during the last fiscal year but \$2,500,000,000, 70 per cent of which consisted of war goods."

"For the past two years the public has been fed up on this line of talk to encourage the development of our

The Highest Average on Opening Sale Was Made at The

# PEOPLES

WAREHOUSE

We Are Open At All Times and We Are Glad to See You At Any Time.

We Are Selling Tobacco High; Do Not Wait For a Better Market.

ROBERT WELLS, Sales Manager.

R. L. TURNER, President.

J. E. CUTHRELL, Auctioneer.

export trade is commendable, but to attempt to gull a sane reader into the belief that it is perfectly feasible to give foreign competitors free access to our market while we go out to peddle our goods in the markets of the world is an insult to his intelligence. The United States, with its diversified industries, is not in a position to conduct a strictly mail-order business.

"It may be that the Democratic party offers the export trade nostrum in order to distract attention from a discussion of their old free-trade fallacy. But it will not down. The first guarantee which every American manufacturer must have is the ready sale for his goods in his home market. That means mill operation at maximum efficiency and the lower unit cost of production which will enable him to extend his sales in South America, Africa, the Far East—whenever he will find the Englishman, the German, or the Japanese in competition with him. Subject him on his native health to the competition of Europe and the Orient and what happened in 1894, what was happening before the

war broke out in 1914, will most assuredly happen again, and again the Democratic party will be responsible for it."

The young Queen of Spain is likely to become in the course of time the richest woman of European royalty. In addition to receiving her share of the large fortune of her mother, it is expected that she will inherit the bulk of the millions possessed by the ex-Empress Eugenie, whose namesake she is.

## RAILROAD TIME TABLES

Chesapeake & Ohio Ry.  
Schedule effective July 1, 1917

East Bound  
No. 8..... 9:58 a. m. 10:03 a. m.  
No. 2..... 1:40 p. m. 1:45 p. m.  
No. 16..... 2:00 p. m.  
No. 18..... 8:35 p. m.  
No. 4..... 10:43 p. m. 10:48 p. m.  
West Bound  
No. 19..... 5:25 a. m. 5:25 a. m.  
No. 5..... 6:50 a. m. 6:45 a. m.  
No. 17..... 10:00 a. m.  
No. 1..... 3:05 p. m. 3:10 p. m.  
No. 7..... 4:47 p. m. 4:52 p. m.  
Trains No. 16, 17, 18 and 19 are daily except Sunday  
W. W. WIKOFF, Agent

# Don't Be a Slacker

Order your telephone now. During the month of December, 1917, the citizens of Maysville seemed to realize the necessity of the telephone and an increase of more than a telephone per day for the month was the result.

Keep up with the times and place your order for a telephone today. Call Contract Department—Telephone No. 109.

## MAYSVILLE TELEPHONE COMPANY

(Incorporated)

# THIS YEAR Consider Quality First When You Buy Alfalfa Hay, Middlings, Bran J. C. EVERETT & CO.

## A SINNER'S PRAYER

(By Elisha Hanson in Cartoons Magazine.)

One time when Representative Elston, of California, was hunting up in the mountains of his native state encountered a mule driver, with team stuck in the mud, who was best two-listed cussier that ever bit a lip to it. Cussing blue was not for him; he cussed all the colors

the rainbow, and did it harmoniously, too. Elston went on up the mountain wondering what a blackened person a man who would swear like that must be.

The following day a tree fell on a man in a nearby camp, and Elston went over to the hillside burial. No services had been arranged, not even a prayer. But when those in charge were about to lower into the grave the pine box in which the body reposed, and someone suggested that a few words be spoken, the cussing man stepped forward, removed his hat, and said:

"Lord, we are sending Thee another soul. Thou knowest the burdens it had to bear; be merciful."

That prayer stands today in Elston's opinion as one of the finest masterpieces of English it has been his privilege to hear.

## THE CAVALRY OF THE CLOUDS

High above the squalor and the mud, so high in the firmament that they are not visible from earth, they fight out the eternal issues of right and wrong. They are struggling there by day, yea, and by night, in that titanic conflict between the great forces of light and darkness. They fight the foe, high up, and they fight him, low down. They skim like armed swallows along the front, taking in their fights men armed with rifle and with machine gun. They scattered infantry on the march, they destroy convoys, they spread dismay. Every

flight is a romance, every record is an epic. They are knight errants of this war, without fear and without reproach. They recall the old legends of chivalry, not merely by the daring of individual exploits, but by the nobility of their spirit, and among the multitudes of heroes we must continuously thank the cavalry of the air.

## 2 Small Farms For Sale

The 66 acre farm of Mr. Joseph R. Slack, located three and half miles from Maysville, has on it a 5-room house, tobacco barn and necessary outbuildings.

PRICE \$70 PER ACRE.  
The 75 acre farm of Mrs. Sarah Hill, located 5 miles Southwest of Germantown on the Germantown and Sardis Pike. Has on it a 5-room house, two barns and usual outbuildings.

PRICE \$50 PER ACRE.  
Why pay rent when you can make a start on farms like these? At the present price of all farm products, how long do you think it would take you to pay for either of these farms?

## THOS. L. EWAN & CO

REAL ESTATE AND LOAN AGENT  
Farmers & Traders Bank Building  
Maysville, Ky

—From Lloyd George's speech to Parliament.

Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands is a finished housekeeper. Aided by an assistant lady manager, she keeps herself thoroughly posted on and directs everything pertaining to the management of the palace at Het Loo, the park, the farm and gardens.

## Here's Your Holiday FRUIT CAKE!

Fruit Cake is always popular, but it comes into its own at this time of the year especially. Traxel's Fruit Cake is the wholesome old-fashioned kind, chock-full of goodies—the very sight of it recalls past Christmas dinners. But be sure you get

TRAXEL'S OLD-FASHIONED FRUIT CAKE Filled with the finest fruits, choicest nuts, imported raisins, sliced citron, rich spices, purest butter, eggs and flour, Traxel's Fruit Cake is cooked as only the Traxel baker can bake it. You will like the rich, spicy taste, and you know that our fruit cake is protected by the Traxel Specific Guarantee of Purity.

## Traxels

"THE HOUSE OF QUALITY"  
Licensed Bakers No. 1,384.

## Chesapeake & Ohio Railway

BEST ROUTE EAST AND WEST

STEEL TRAINS DINING CARS  
UNEXCELLED SERVICE

## GOOD NEWS

To Holders of Tobacco  
Market Much Better

ALTHOUGH THE OFFERINGS CONTINUE LIGHT, AND STILL SOME FAT STEM STUFF ON SALE—THERE IS MORE GINGER IN THE BIDDING, AND THIS CAUSES A BETTER FEELING ALL AROUND. MAYSVILLE IS ALWAYS THE FIRST TO RECOVER FROM ANY SLUMP, FOR WE HAVE LOTS OF WIDE AWAKE SPECULATORS WHO ARE ALWAYS ON THE LOOKOUT FOR BARGAINS. WE FEEL SAFE IN ADVISING ALL WHO HAVE TOBACCO READY TO SELL, THAT IS IN GOOD ORDER, BRING IT IN AND YOU WILL BE SATISFIED.

## GROWERS WAREHOUSE

MAYSVILLE, KY.  
L. T. GAEBKE, President  
W. W. McILVAIN, Vice-President  
J. C. RAINS, Sec.-Treas.

# THE HOMI

WE GUARANTEE TOP OF MARKET.

# GEM TODAY DOROTHY DALTON IN THE PRICE MARK



# Dustin Farnum The Call of the Cumberland



THE TIME HAS COME! READ! REJOICE and RESPOND!

## WEDNESDAY MORNING at 9 O'clock

### McILVAIN, KNOX & DIENER CO., Inc.,

20 and 22 East Second Street, MAYSVILLE, KY.

WILL SWING OPEN THEIR DOORS ON AN ARRAY OF SUPERB HOME FURNISHING BARGAINS, THE LIKE OF WHICH HAS NEVER BEEN SEEN BEFORE IN THIS GIGANTIC

# \$50,000 EXPANSION SALE

NO MERCY SHOWN ANY ARTICLE IN STOCK—GOODS MUST GO IF WE HAVE TO GIVE THEM AWAY—MUST MAKE ROOM FOR WORKMEN IN INTERIOR BUILDING ALTERATIONS

## Deplore Not These Slaughtered Prices—GET YOUR SHARE!

### Store Closed Monday and Tuesday

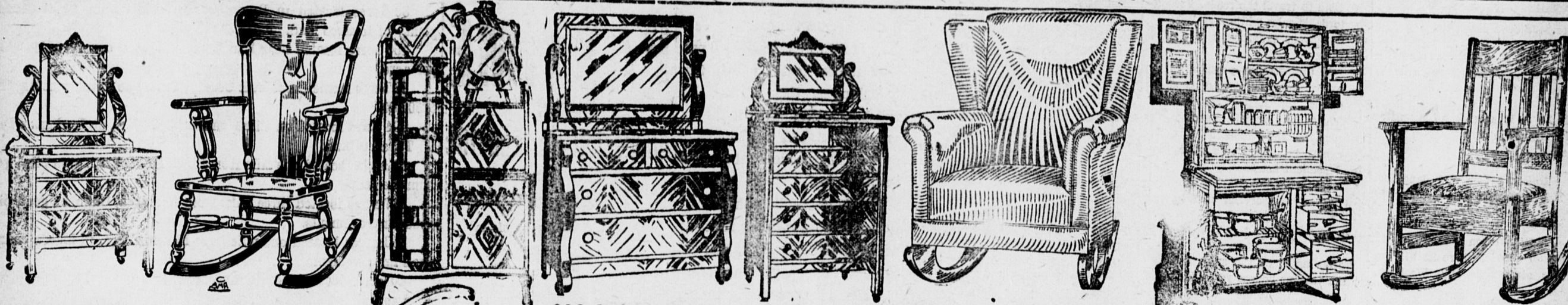
To re-arrange and remark entire stock with startling reduced sale prices for big sale starting on

### WEDNESDAY MORNING

JANUARY 9, 1918

At 9 o'clock sharp

No mercy shown any article in the entire store



**\$16 GOLDEN OAK DRESSER**

with plate mirror, three large drawers and wood drawer pulls, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$9.95**

**\$4.00 PARLOR ROCKER**

Of golden finish, saddle seat, arms and high back, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$1.98**

**\$25 Combination Desk & Bookcase**

With bevel plate mirror in fancy shapes. Choice of solid golden oak finish at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$14.95**

**\$32.00 COLONIAL DRESSER**

Of large massive design, choice polished, golden oak finish, with big bevel plate mirror, and has four drawers, with wood drawer knobs, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$18.90**

**\$14 SOLID OAK CHIFFONIER**

Of an attractive golden polished, golden oak finish, with a plate mirror, has five drawers, with wooden drawer pulls, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$8.90**

**\$35 Massive Fireside Genuine Leather Rocker**

This extremely massive overstuffed Fireside Rocker has full spring seat and back with winged sides, upholstered in genuine leather, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$19.98**

**\$25 MODERN KITCHEN CABINET**

Has the new front, solid oak, high flour bin, sifter, metal top, and cushion seat in genuine imper- has set of glass spice, tea and coffee canisters, complete, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

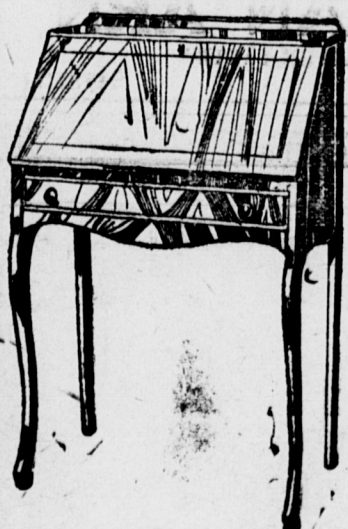
**\$16.75**

**SOLID OAK ROCKER**

Of weathered oak with spring seat and back, upholstered in leather, like above cut.

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$2.95**



**\$16 Round Top Dining Table**

In solid golden oak finish; extension six feet, with leaves, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$9.95**

**\$10 LADIES' DESK**

Splendid designed and arranged ladies' desk in a golden oak polished finish or mahogany.

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$6.80**

Prices SMASHED On ALL BEDS

**\$10 Massive Iron Bed**

In white enable finish, has two-inch continuous post and ten strong fillers. Any size, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$6.95**



**\$30 Brass Beds**

With two-inch continuous post in full size guaranteed non tarnish lacquer, in bright finish, at this SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$19.85**

**\$3.50 Dining Chairs**

Upholstered in black art leather on box seats; choice golden oak finish, at this

SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$1.99**



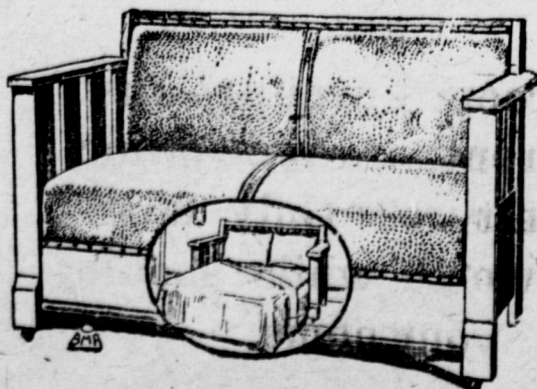
**\$20 CHIFFEROBE**

Solid golden oak, large, roomy clothes press and drawers, at this

REDUCED SALE PRICE

**\$15.90**

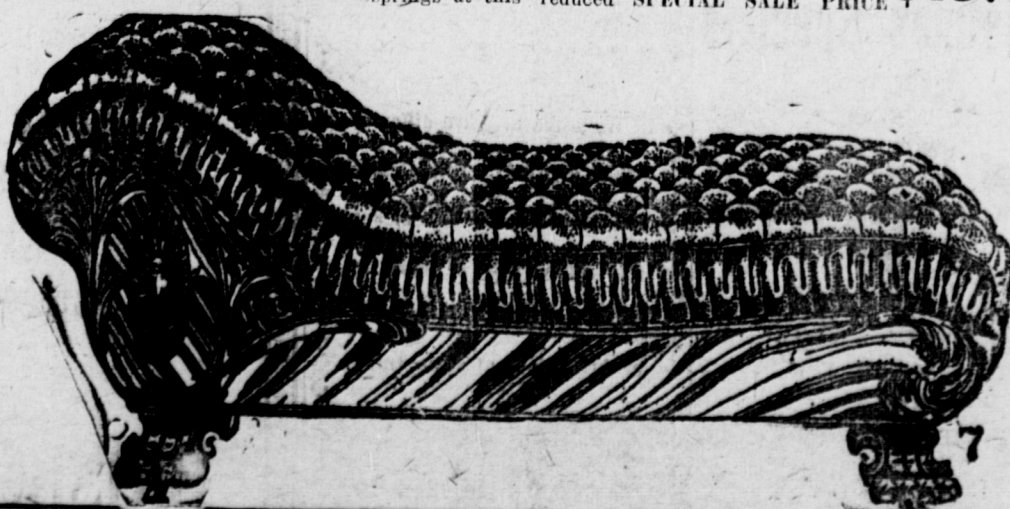
**\$35 BED DAVENETTE**



All supplied with easy-working device to convert from a pretty divan to a comfortable bed, large enough for two adults; massive frame of solid oak in golden finish. Upholstery of excellent grade of art leather over full spring seat at this REDUCED SALE PRICE

**\$23.75**

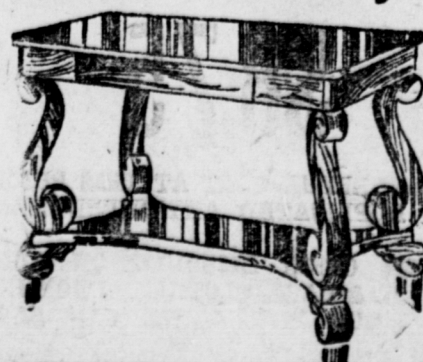
**\$25 Tufted Couch**



In attractively designed golden oak fram, covered with imperial leather over oil tempered spiral springs at this reduced SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$15.45**

**\$30 Massive Library Table**



Of a colonial design, has large top, roomy stationery drawer and bookshelf, a rich mahogany finish, at this SPECIAL SALE PRICE

**\$15.85**

**\$35.00 AXMINSTER 9x12 FOOT RUGS**  
Standard Rugs, with high silky pile, in Persian effects; tan predominating color at SALE PRICE \$22.50.

**WOOL FIBRE RUGS 9x12 FOOT SIZE**  
All-wool quality, strictly fast colors, Oriental designs, suitable for any room, at SPECIAL SALE PRICE \$15.

## McIlvain, Knox & Diener Co.

(Incorporated)

20-22 EAST SECOND STREET, MAYSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

FREE AUTO TRUCK DELIVERY IN CITY, AND FREIGHT PREPAID OUT-OF-TOWN. GOODS HELD FOR FUTURE DELIVERY IF YOU WISH IT.

**\$20.00 BRUSSELS 9x12 FOOT SIZE RUG**  
Made of fine worsted yarns, neat all-over patterns and medallion effects, at this SPECIAL SALE PRICE \$11.95.

**DOOR RUGS 27x54 INCHES**  
Brussels Rugs suitable for hearth or door spaces at this SPECIAL SALE PRICE 90c.



## Advice to Tobacco Growers

A large per cent of the TOBACCO being brought to market now is in an unmerchantable condition, due to SWOLLEN STEMS, and we would advise the GROWERS, if they have any SWOLLEN STEM TOBACCO in bulk, or hanging, that they rehang the TOBACCO in bulk, and allow the TOBACCO hanging to remain there until same is in proper condition for handling.

The CONDITION of a great deal of the TOBACCO selling on the warehouse floors, has hurt its sale from \$3.00 to \$5.00 per hundred at least, so YOU can readily see that it will be greatly to YOUR advantage to keep this TOBACCO at home until properly cured.

Good TOBACCOS, in prime condition, are bringing exceptionally good prices, as an example—the crop of Rubenacker & Marshall—1450 pounds, raised on 2-3 of an acre—averages \$6.19. Prices follow:

Leaf, 170 lbs.....	\$40.00 per hundred	Red Leaf, 60 lbs....	33.00 per hundred
Leaf, 285 lbs.....	41.00 per hundred	Red Leaf, 120 lbs..	28.00 per hundred
Lugs, 155 lbs.....	36.00 per hundred	Flying, 20 lbs.....	28.00 per hundred
Lugs, 255 lbs.....	28.00 per hundred	Red Leaf, 45 lbs..	29.50 per hundred
Traab, 150 lbs.....	36.00 per hundred	Tips, 35 lbs.....	21.50 per hundred
Traab, 100 lbs.....	36.00 per hundred	Tips, avg., 5 lbs..	19.25 per hundred
Flying, 50 lbs.....	33.00 per hundred		

## Geo. H. Frank & Co.

Maysville's Foremost Clothiers

Navarro Cafe and Billiard Parlors  
Cigars, Tobacco, Lunch and Soft Drinks.

Call and spend your leisure hours.

C. E. MARTIN, Proprietor.

## Personals

Mr. J. C. Calvin of Augusta, is here iness.

W. H. Cox was a business visit in Cincinnati Monday.

Mr. Frank Costigan of Flemingsburg is here on a short visit.

Mr. George C. Creighbaum of Columbus, Ohio, is visiting relatives in his city.

Hon. M. J. Hennessey, of Augusta, was in Maysville yesterday on legal business.

Mrs. Robert Brown and daughter, Miss Margaret, left this morning to spend the winter in Florida.

Howell Richardson left yesterday for Delaware, Ohio, where he will resume his studies in Ohio Wesleyan University.

Mr. Charles D. Pearce, of Louisville, president of the State National Bank, this city, was a visitor here yesterday.

Mr. Martin Clark, who has resigned as manager of the Postal Telegraph Company's station here, left yesterday for Cincinnati, where he will be located for the present.

## SHANNON STOCK COMPANY PLEASURES

The Shannon Stock Company opened a week's engagement at the Washington Opera House last evening to a packed house. This is one of the best stock companies in this city for a number of years and all who witness the opening play, "The Net," were pleased. The vaudeville acts and ten-piece orchestra were also exceptionally good and brought much applause. Tonight this company will present the southern comedy-drama, "An Editor's Romance," and as an added feature the orchestra will render the well-known overture, "A Hunt in the Black Forest."

Maysville Chapter of the Eastern Star, will be installed, Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. The installation will take place in Masonic Temple.

The First District P.-T. A. will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Butter fat 55 cents a pound at the Maysville Model Creamery this week.

WE HAVE SELECTED A LOT OF

## OVERCOATS

IN OUR JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE TO SELL AT

**\$8.75**

A WONDERFUL COAT AT THIS PRICE. CAN NOT BE DUPLICATED ANYWHERE NEAR THIS MONEY.

20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT ON ALL HATS, SCHAFFNER & BARX CLOTHES. DROP IN TODAY AND GET OUR PRICES. WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY.

## SQUIRES - BRADY CO.

SECOND AND MARKET STREETS.

The Home of Hart, Schaffner and Marx Clothes.

## Farmers & Planters Tobacco Warehouse Co.

A. L. POWERS, Pres. and Sales Mgr.

A. M. ANUARY, Treas.

W. HOLTON KEY, Vice Pres. and Mgr.

## TOBACCO MARKET CLOSES

Until Next Monday—44,885 Pounds Sold Here Yesterday at Prices Ranging From \$8 to \$38.

## TOBACCO MARKET CLOSED UNTIL MONDAY, JANUARY 14

The Maysville Tobacco Market closed today until next Monday, January 14. The weather conditions are such that it is almost impossible to travel the roads. Yesterday's sales while very light were very satisfactory to the sellers.

If the weather permits we expect good sales and good prices for next week. All houses will remain open to receive any tobacco that comes in. First sale at independent house.

WILLIAM MITCHELL, Supervisor of Sales.

Following were the sales reported by the various houses yesterday:

Home	Pounds sold .....	20,955
	High price .....	\$36.00
	Low price .....	8.00
	Average .....	19.11
Special crops—J. C. Gaither, \$29.97; T. H. Moore, \$28.42. Balance junk.		

Independent—Central	Pounds sold .....	14,205
	High price .....	\$33.00
	Low price .....	8.25
	Average .....	21.74
Offerings fair, market medium.		

Liberty	Pounds sold .....	2,670
	High price .....	\$38.00
	Low price .....	17.00
	Average .....	28.56
Market stronger.		

Growers	Pounds sold .....	1,950
	High price .....	\$38.00
	Low price .....	12.00
	Average .....	24.15
Offerings common.		

Peoples	Pounds sold .....	3,355
	High price .....	\$29.00
	Low price .....	13.00
Offerings common.		

The Aid Society of the Christian Church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with Miss Anna McDougle, 215 Court street.

The ice has broken to a point near the ice piers and all are warned not to attempt to walk across.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Held Their First Meeting Yesterday and Transacted Small Amount of Business—Committee Chairman Appointed.

The first meeting of the Mason Fiscal Court, as composed of three commissioners and the county judge, was held yesterday afternoon and the following business was transacted:

On motion of W. Holton Key it was suggested that the first Tuesday after the second Monday be set as the regular monthly meeting of the commissioners.

On motion of A. L. Glascock, the telephone services of Fred Bauer, William Collins, Fred Dresel, J. W. Holliday, C. T. Moore and W. H. Moore were ordered discontinued, and the telephone company was requested to refund the advance payment.

On motion of A. L. Glascock it was ordered that the office now occupied by Squire Bauer in the courthouse be used as an office by the county road engineer and the county commissioners. The present occupant was notified to vacate the office by February 1, 1918.

It was ordered that Squire Bauer be allowed \$60 a year for room rent beginning February 1, 1918.

On motion it was ordered that bids be asked for twelve-inch space daily for one year from daily newspapers for use of the Fiscal Court, and that said work be let to the lowest and best bidders.

A. L. Glascock was appointed chairman of the Infirmary committee.

W. H. Key was appointed chairman of the roads committee.

W. E. Pyles was appointed chairman of the general claims committee.

On motion it was ordered that C. T. Moore, ex-superintendent of roads, appear and make necessary statements to this court.

Ordered that court be adjourned until January 15, 1918.

## PROMOTED TO SERGEANT-MAJOR

Thomas M. Barbour, eldest son of Mrs. Mattie Barbour, of East Fourth street, now stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss., has been promoted to Regimental Sergeant-Major, which is the highest non-commissioned office that can be given. Sergeant-Major Barbour was a member of the West Virginia National Guards during the Mexican outbreak and saw service on the border, twice winning promotion.

## MAYSVILLE PRODUCE MARKET

Following are this morning's quotations on country produce:

Hens .....	16c
Roosters .....	13c
Springers .....	19c
Ducks .....	19c
Geese .....	15c
Young Turkeys .....	23c
Old Turkeys .....	21c
Eggs (loss off) .....	51c

U. S. Food Administration License No. G 09467.

THE E. L. MANCHESTER PRODUCE COMPANY, Inc.

## Christmas Specials

TURKEYS  
CHICKENS  
OYSTERS  
CELEBY  
NEW YORK CREAM CHEESE  
ORANGES  
APPLES  
TANGERINES  
FIGS  
DATES  
CANDY

WHERE THE GOOD THINGS GATHER.

J. C. CABUSH & BRO.

QUALITY GROCERS

East Third Street. Phone 230

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Transfer  
Index System  
everything that is



225 MARKET ST.

## Income Tax

A single person with an annual income of \$1,000 and a married person with an annual income of \$2,000 must make a true and accurate return of his or her income to the collector of internal revenue on or before March 1, 1918, or be subject to a penalty ranging from \$20 to \$1,000.

The Government's income tax officer will be at the Maysville postoffice from January 2 to January 12 inclusive, to assist all persons, subject to the income tax, in making out their returns. He will be supplied with all the necessary forms and will be able to answer all questions about the law.

As this matter is of the utmost importance, we take this means of advising all our friends, who are prospective tax payers to take advantage of his presence by calling upon him within the ten days mentioned. The earlier the date the better.

## BANK OF MAYSVILLE.

FOR SALE  
A four cylinder, 20 H. P. Hup Runabout, good tires, extra inner tires. Apply at Ledger Office.

The Daily Public Ledger and the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune for \$1.50 per year.

## KRAUT

Just Received, 1,000 Pounds of  
**SAUER KRAUT**

Only 5c Pound

Bring or Send Your Bucket.

VV. I. NAUMAN & BRO.

"HOME OF GOOD EATS"

117-119 W. Second St. Phone 61

THE ELITE

We make fifty-five different kinds of candy. Order early for Christmas. A box of our fine candy will be sure to please your son, sweetheart or brother, if at some training camp.

THE ELITE

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## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

All items under this head 1/2 cent a word. Minimum charge 10 cents.

### WANTED

WANTED—Thirty sewing machine operators, to work on army equipment; good wages guaranteed; must be over 16 years of age. Maysville Twine & Fly Net Co., Union street. 4-4t

### PERSONAL

FREE—Tickets given away free to our patrons for Washington Theater, by the New Way Dry Cleaning Co. Phone 164. 8-3t

### LOST

LOST—At or between Bethel Church and Plum street black pocketbook containing \$3.15. Finder please return to Miss Mary Hayes, 331 East Fourth street.

## PASTIME

TODAY

Admission 5c and 10c

1 CENT WAR TAX

BILLIE WEST

Charlie Chaplin's Double in

## THE CANDY KID

A Two-Reel Comedy  
Helen Gibson in a Big Sensational Railroad Drama  
"THE DYNAMITE SPECIAL"  
A Thrill From Start to Finish.  
Also Another Good Comedy  
Thursday—  
MRS. VERNON CASTLE

## Robert L. Hoeflich

211 and 213 Market Street

## A. G. SULSER REAPPOINTED MASTER COMMISSIONER

Circuit Judge C. D. Newell yesterday reappointed A. G. Sulser as Master Commissioner of Mason county. Mr. Sulser immediately qualified with the following named gentlemen as sureties on his bond for \$20,000: E. A. Robinson, William Trouts, Jr., J. M. Hunt, J. B. Durrett, J. C. Everett, W. W. McIlvain, Thomas A. Keith, E. T. Kirk, S. P. Browning and E. P. Browning.

Butter fat 55 cents a pound at the Maysville Model Creamery this week.

The Mason County Health League will meet in the State Trust Co. room this evening at 7 p. m.

**Your Eyes Examined**  
**Your Lenses Duplicated**  
Quality, Service, Satisfaction  
Dr. B. Kahn of Cincinnati on Mondays.  
Dr. George Devine Every Day.  
Optometrists and Opticians.  
O'Keefe Building.

## FARMS FOR SALE

80 acres located in Brown County, Ohio, good improvements, plenty of tobacco land. Price \$72.00 per acre.

100 acres located near Rectortville in Mason county, price \$55.00 per acre.

37 acres located in Brown County, Ohio, fine improvements, price \$3500.00.

204 acres located on mile from Mayslick, Ky., on Lexington Pike, all Tobacco land.

50 acres located one mile from Maysville on Lexington pike, good improvements.

117 acres located three miles from Aberdeen, Ohio, on good pike, good improvements.

153 acres located one mile from Minerva, Ky., in Mason county, good improvements.

60 acres located near Orangeburg, Ky., on good pike and near good school.

20 acres located at South Ripley, on good pike, a bargain.

40 acres located at South Ripley, a bargain if sold at once.

100 acres located three miles from Maysville, Ky., on good pike.

57 acres located in Brown County, Ohio, on good pike, good Tobacco land.

123 acres located in Brown County, Ohio, on good pike, good Tobacco land.

100 acres located in Brown County, Ohio, on good pike, good improvements.

11 acres located one half mile from Maysville, Ky., splendid suburban home.

## SHERMAN ARN

"WILL SELL THE EARTH."

O'KEEFE BUILDING.

MAYSVILLE, KY.



For the Bedroom Furniture Just a Little Different. Are you proud of your furniture? Only furniture really worth while should enter your home.

## BRISBOIS FURNITURE STORE

42 West Second Street, Maysville, Ky.

## TODAY SHANNON STOCK CO. IN Editor's Romance

This Company is One of the VERY BEST. Price 25c and 35c.

## WASHINGTON OPERA HOUSE